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RESPONSE TO NOTICE REQUIRING EXCESS CLAIMS FEES
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.16

Dear Sir or Madam:

In Response to the Notice Requiring Excess Claims Fees Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (h)-(j), Applicant in the above-referenced Continuation-in-Part patent application hereby submits the required fee of \$125.00 to include the \$25.00 claim fee for each claim (whether dependant or independent), in excess of twenty (20) and the \$100 claim fee for the extra independent claim.

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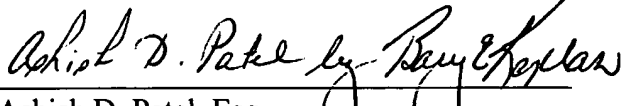
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The Patent Office granting a statutory deadline of one month from the October 20, 2005, mailing date of the Notice, this submission is timely filed. Applicant respectfully requests this Response be made of record and to continue prosecution of the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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